

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
TEXARKANA DIVISION**

NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO, L.P., <div style="text-align: center;">Plaintiff</div>	§ § § § § § §	CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:09cv85
v.		
AUTO-DRIL, INC., Defendant		

AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER

The following deadlines shall govern this cause of action:

STEP	ACTION	RULE	DUE DATE
1.	Completion of claim construction discovery	Patent L.R. 4-4	February 3, 2011
2.	Patentee files opening claim construction brief	Patent L.R. 4-5(a)	March 1, 2011
3.	Deadline to join other parties without leave of Court, which shall be at least 60 days before the deadline for filing dispositive motions		April 1, 2011
4.	Deadline to file amended pleadings without leave of Court, which shall be 30 days before the deadline for dispositive motions		April 14, 2011
5.	Accused infringer files responsive claim construction brief	Patent L.R. 4-5(b)	May 2, 2011
6.	Patentee files reply brief on claim construction	Patent L.R. 4-5(c)	May 23, 2011
7.	Parties file joint claim construction Chart	Patent L.R. 4-5(d)	June 1, 2011

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| 8. | Technical tutorial and claim construction hearing | Patent L.R. 4-6 | June 30, 2011
(Tutorial at 9:00am with claim construction to follow) |
| 9. | Court's claim construction ruling | | August 5, 2011 |
| 10. | Status Conference to set remaining dates in Scheduling Order. Prior to the Status Conference, Parties will meet and confer to submit a Proposed Scheduling Order to the Court subject to the Court's Local Patent Rules and the Court's availability for trial. | | August 18, 2011 at 10:00 |

It is

ORDERED that this Amended Scheduling Order shall not be modified except for leave of Court upon showing of good cause, and shall be binding on all parties.

SIGNED this 24th day of November, 2010.


CAROLINE M. CRAVEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE